

Ron Logan

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PROFILE

Ron Logan is the former Executive Vice President, Executive Producer, for Walt Disney Entertainment. He was responsible for creating, casting, and producing all live entertainment products for The Walt Disney Company, including the Disneyland Resort, the Walt Disney World Resort, Tokyo Disney Resort, Disneyland Resort Paris, The Disney Institute, Disney Business Productions, Disney Cruise Line, Disney Entertainment Productions, and Walt Disney Entertainment Worldwide. He was also Executive Vice President of the Walt Disney Special Events Group, Executive Vice President of Disney Special Programs, Incorporated and the first President & Founder of Disney Theatrical Productions, which produced Disney's "Beauty and the Beast - A New Musical" on Broadway and around the world.

Ron's global role was to support The Walt Disney Company in establishing the standards for Disney live entertainment worldwide, maximizing synergistic entertainment opportunities in support of all Company business units.

Ron has authored "Walt Disney Entertainment- A Retrospective Look", a written resource documenting the evolution of Walt Disney Entertainment from 1955 through 2000.

On October 10, 2007, Ron Logan was honored at The Walt Disney Studios in Burbank, California, with the Disney Legends Award for Parks and Resorts. This prestigious award is presented to individuals who have made a significant impact on The Walt Disney Company over the years.

CAREER EXPERIENCE

Rosen College of Hospitality Management Associate Professor	2003-Present
Entertainment Arts Consultant	2001-Present
Stetson University, Celebration Director, Arts Academy	2001-2002
Walt Disney Entertainment Executive Vice President, Executive Producer Sr. Vice President, Executive Producer Vice President, Creative Show Development - Walt Disney Attractions Vice President, Entertainment - Walt Disney World Resort Director, Entertainment - Disneyland Resort Music Director - Walt Disney World Resort	1978-2001
Long Beach City College Director of Bands and Jazz Studies	1966-1978
James Monroe High School Director of Bands, Orchestra and Jazz Studies	1962-1966
Walt Disney Entertainment Consultant	1960-1978
Professional Trumpet Player/Singer/Conductor	1958-1965

AWARDS (RECENT LISTING)

Partnership of Professionals Award The National Association for Music Education	March 15, 2001
Distinguished Service Award The National Theatre, Washington, D.C.	January 31, 2001
The 2000-2001 Distinguished Service Award for Music Education The Florida Music Educators' Association	January 11, 2001
The IAJE Humanitarian Award The International Association of Jazz Educators	January 10, 2001
Partnership in Excellence Award The National Theatre, Washington, D.C.	December 2000
Board of Trustees Award Long Beach Community College District	November 17, 2000
Leadership Award, Arts for A Complete Education The Florida Alliance for Arts Education	November 9, 2000
25th Anniversary Honoree The National Theatre, Washington, D.C.	December 12, 1999

EDUCATION

UCLA

The Degree of Master Arts in Education With a Major in Music	January 26, 1966
The Degree of Bachelor of Arts in Music	June 9, 1960

PROJECT PRODUCTION (SAMPLE LIST)

Disneyland Resort in California

- **Disneyland Park**
 - Fantasmic!
 - Beauty and the Beast Live on Stage!
 - Pocahontas Stage Show
 - One Man's Dream
 - The Lion King Parade
 - Disney's Mulan Parade
 - Disneyland's Very Merry Christmas Parades

Walt Disney World Resort in Florida

- **Magic Kingdom**
 - SpectroMagic Parade
 - 25th Anniversary Parade
 - 15 Years of Magic Parade
 - Walt Disney World's Very Merry Christmas Parades
 - Walt Disney World's Happy Easter Parades
 - Mickey Mania Parade
- **Epcot**
 - Epcot Center Grand Opening Ceremonies
 - Laserphonic Fantasy
 - IllumiNations
 - Illuminations 25
 - IllumiNations 2000: Reflections of Earth
 - Tapestry of Nations Parade
 - Skyleidoscope
 - Surprise in the Skies

- **Disney-MGM Studios**
 - Disney-MGM Studios Theme Park Grand Opening Ceremonies
 - Beauty and the Beast Live on Stage!
 - Sorcery in the Sky Fireworks Spectacular
 - Aladdin's Royal Caravan Parade
 - Voyage of the Little Mermaid
 - The Hunchback of Notre Dame - A Musical Adventure
 - Disney's Mulan Parade
 - Fantasmic!
 - Lights, Motors, Action! Extreme Stunt Show
- **Disney's Animal Kingdom**
 - Disney's Animal Kingdom Park Grand Opening Ceremonies
 - March of the ARTimals Parade
 - Festival of the Lion King
 - Journey into Jungle Book Stage Show
 - Tarzan ROCKS!

Tokyo Disney Resort

- **Tokyo Disneyland Park**
 - One Man's Dream
 - Disney's Fantillusion Parade
 - Disney Carnivale Parade
 - Mickey Mania Parade
- **Tokyo DisneySea**
 - BraviSEAmo
 - Porto Paradiso Water Carnival
 - Mystic Rhythms

Disneyland Resort Paris

- **Disneyland Park**
 - EuroDisney Grand Opening Ceremonies
 - Le Livre Magique de Mickey (Mickey Castle Book Show)
 - Fantasia in the Sky
 - Beauty and the Beast
 - Disney ImagiNations Parade
 - Tarzan's Encounter
- **Walt Disney Studios Park**
 - Moteurs... Action! Stunt Show Spectacular
- **Disney Village**
 - Buffalo Bill's Wild West Dinner Show

Disney Movie Premieres

- Pocahontas - Central Park, New York City
- Hercules - New York City
- Hunchback of Notre Dame - New Orleans
- Pearl Harbor - Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
- Armageddon - Kennedy Space Center, Florida

Other Special Events

- Pan-American Games - Indy Speedway in Indiana
- SuperBowl Halftime Shows (5)
- DisneyFair - U.S.
- DisneyFest - Asia (Singapore & Taiwan)